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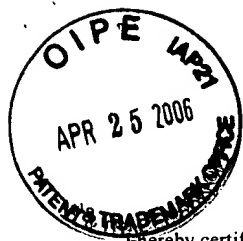
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This paper is filed in response to the Office Action mailed January 20, 2006, having a shortened statutory period for response that expires on April 20, 2006. Please amend the application as follows.